

that this rule regarding the age limit is not applicable to him since he was a person appointed after 1st Chingam 1099. He was allowed to continue for one year more.

Mr. K. R. Viswambharan (Ezhuvas-Talappalli): If a person is hale and hearty will you allow him to continue after 55 years?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon (Diwan Peishkar): I gave you the reasons for this particular case. There is no general rule.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ: ഞ്ഞ്-ന ശേഷം ഉള്ള നിയമനങ്ങൾ ഒരി വയസ്സ് തികഞ്ഞാൽ റിട്ടയർ ചെയ്യണമെന്നുണ്ടോ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon (Diwan Peishkar): That has been the definite order of the Government.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ: ഞ്ഞ്-ന ശേഷം ചേർന്നിട്ടുള്ള വിദ്യേജ ഭ്യാഗസ്ഥന്മാർക്കു പെൻഷൻ വേണ്ടെന്നു വെക്കുവാനുള്ള കാരണമെന്താണ്?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon (Diwan Peishkar): The reasons are given in the order dated 1st Chingam 1099. They are recruited from leading men of the Village and heredity is if possible asked to be taken into account in appointing their successors. It was thought in 1099 that where the principle of appointment was recognised by heredity the question of pension might be dropped.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എസ്സ്. പണിക്കർ: പിൻതുടർച്ചാവകാശം വഴിക്ക് പാവ് ത്വക്കാരന്മാരായിരുന്നു പെൻഷൻ പററി പിരിഞ്ഞിട്ടുള്ളവരുടെ ആരുടെയെങ്കിലും മക്കൾക്ക് ഉദ്യോഗം കൊടുത്തിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon (Diwan Peishkar): The question has not arisen till now. No Parvathiakaran has died after 1099. They show a tenacity to cling to their lives. (Laughter).

WARDHA SCHEME OF EDUCATION—INTRODUCTION OF.

78. Mr. A. Eachara Menon (Chittur-Rural): Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) how far they have progressed in the examination of the Wardha Scheme of Education;

(2) if they have found it worth a trial, will they be pleased to take it up in hand at once;

(3) if so, will they be pleased to consider the claims of villages which are backward in education and in which the children are drawn away for field work in certain seasons?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*):

(1) The matter is still under discussion by expert bodies.

(2) & (3) Do not arise.

Mr. T. V. Subramania Ayyar (*Nemmara*): May I know the expert bodies who are discussing the scheme?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*): The Teachers' Associations. For the information of the House I may say that two of them have made their reports. Only one more is pending. As soon as that report is received the matter will be consolidated and placed before the Government for orders.

SANSKRIT SCHOOLS—PARTICULARS REGARDING.

79. Mr. M. K. Devassy (*Adur*): Will the Government be pleased to state:—

- (a) the total number of Sanskrit Schools in the State;
- (b) the number and names of Sanskrit Schools that receive grant-in-aid from the Government;
- (c) the sum allotted to each of the Schools mentioned in clause (b) by way of grant-in-aid; and
- (d) the strength and classes of each in the Schools mentioned in question (b)?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*):

(a) Sirkar 2
*Aided 10

(b) No.—9.

1. K. V. Sanskrit School, Sreemoolanagaram.
2. S. N. V. Sanskrit School, Eroor.
3. Sanskrit School, Thottara.
4. Do. Irinjalakkuda.
5. Vedic School, Pushpagiri.
6. Sanskrit School, Peruvanam.
7. Do. Kanimangalam
8. Veda Sastra Patasala, Chittur.
9. L. N. Sanskrit School, Nemmara.

* The Sanskrit School, Killimangalam, is not yet aided. There are 4 classes there and a strength of 55.